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Hideo ARIKAWA et al.

Group Art Unit: 1713

Application No.: 10/088,996

Examiner: Rip A. Lee

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For:

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CHIPPING RESISTANCE

COMPOSITION FOR IMPARTING

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REPLY AND AMENDMENTS PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action [Final Rejection] mailed December 12, 2003, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

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Reply Under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 - Expedited

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AMENDMENT/REPLY TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: Enclosed is a reply for the above-identified patent application. A Petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed. П Terminal Disclaimer(s) and the ☐ \$55.00 (2814) ☐ \$110.00 (1814) fee per Disclaimer due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d) are also enclosed. Also enclosed is/are ____ Small entity status is hereby claimed. Applicant(s) requests continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the □ \$385.00 (2801) □ \$770.00 (1801) fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e). Applicant(s) requests that any previously unentered after final amendments not be entered. Continued examination is requested based on the enclosed documents identified above. Applicant(s) previously submitted for which continued examination is requested. Applicant(s) requests suspension of action by the Office until at least which does not exceed three months from the filing of this RCE, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c). The required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) is enclosed. A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) (1809/2809) is also

enclosed.

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An additional claim	fee is required.	and is calculated a	s shown below.
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AMENDED CLAIMS					
	No. of Claims	Highest No. of Claims Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	3	MINUS 20 =	0	x \$18.00 (1202) =	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	3	MINUS 3 =	0	x \$86.00 (1201) =	\$ 0.00
If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$290.00 (1203)					
Total Claim Amendment Fee				\$ 0.00	
☐ Small Entity Status claimed - subtract 50% of Total Claim Amendment Fee				\$ 0.00	
OTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE DUE FOR THIS AMENDMENT \$ 0.					\$ 0.00

A check in the amount of	of	is enclosed for the fee due.
Charge	to Deposit Accou	unt No. 02-4800.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17, 1.20(d) and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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